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Sir:

In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. §1.97, Applicants hereby make of record the documents listed on the accompanying Information Disclosure Statement by Applicant, PTO/SB/08a form, for consideration by the Examiner in connection with the examination of the above-identified patent application. While the references are being submitted herewith, some or all of the references may not constitute prior art under the U.S. patent laws.

This Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement is filed under 37 C.F.R. 1.97 (c), after the mailing date of a First Office Action. Therefore, a fee of \$180.00 is believed due, and submitted concurrently herewith. In the event any additional fee is due in connection with this response or if any fee has been overpaid, the deficiency or overpayment should be charged to our Deposit Account No. 50-0552.

Applicants respectfully request that the references cited in the accompanying PTO 1449 form be considered and made of record.

Respectfully submitted,

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